



# WON BY 1 MINUTE AND 19 SECONDS

## WIND STORM SWEEPS CITY

High Gale Suddenly Develops and Heavy Green Clouds Almost Put the Entire City in Darkness.

The sudden rise in temperature and drop in humidity this afternoon combined to form an angry storm that came out of the west at 4:30 o'clock. Greenish-blue billows backed up and rolled over the city, bringing with them a wind that lifted paper scraps from the streets and whirled them above the roofs of the buildings.

Darkness followed the clouds, windows were closed in skyscrapers and in a few minutes the lower section of the city was a twinkling with lights.

After the wind had spent its force and the storm clouds had disappeared over Long Island a heavy rain began to fall. The streets were drenched and a pleasant coolness succeeded the oppressive heat that had prevailed throughout the day.

The storm was remarkable for the display of lightning that accompanied it—white, blinding lightning that streaked the clouds in all directions. From a moderate breeze the wind increased to a gale that whipped awnings from their fastenings and robbed trees of their limbs.

Fear was expressed for the safety of the excursion boats returning from the yacht race, but most of them had reached their piers before the full force of the storm fell, and those who had come up more slowly had reached the shelter of the Upper Bay. Reliance and Shamrock were in their moorings half an hour before the storm came.

Although the wind blew around City Hall Park in lively fashion the iron workers and masons employed on the top of the new Hall of Records worked all through the storm.

Telegraph and telephone service was almost paralyzed. Very few of the wires running from the West and from up-State into the city were in working order, the heavy wind having blown down many poles in different parts of the country.

## EXPRESS KILLED HAZEL MORRISON

Eight-Year-Old Girl from Coney Island Mangled at a Crossing Near Matawan by Pennsylvania Express.

While Hazel Morrison, the young eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Morrison, of Coney Island, was crossing the railroad track at Matawan station, on the New York and Long Branch Railroad, to-day she was struck by a northbound Pennsylvania express train, due at 8:23, and instantly killed.

The child and her mother have been visiting Mrs. Walter Gilbert at Keyport, a sister of Mrs. Morrison, and to-day Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Gilbert and Hazel started to visit the parents of Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Gilbert at Freehold. They crossed the railroad tracks a short distance from the regular crossing. Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Gilbert going over first. Hazel was strolling on behind.

The view of the oncoming train was cut off by freight cars standing on the side track. Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Gilbert saw the express train coming at lightning speed and almost upon them. Mrs. Morrison called and motioned to little Hazel not to cross the track, but the child, through excitement, did not heed the mother's warning.

The mother fainting and was taken to a nearby hotel and cared for, where she is lying in a critical condition.

## STARS SCRATCHED; AFRICANDER WINS

Hermis and McChesney Refuse Issue in Champlain Stakes After Heavy Rainfall at the Saratoga Track.

AFRICANDER WAS AN ADDED STARTER.

Grey Friar Takes Second Event, While Moharib Shows Way Home to Long Shot and Race King.

THE WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—Duke of Kendal (16 to 5) 1, Ingold (9 to 2) 2, Bad News 3.

SECOND RACE—Grey Friar (3 to 5) 1, Joe Cobb (5 to 1) 2, Onatas 3.

THIRD RACE—Moharib (2 to 1) 1, Long Shot (11 to 5) 2, Race King 3.

FOURTH RACE—Africander (7 to 10) 1, Himself (15 to 1) 2, Girdle 3.

## LIGHTNING STARTS FIRE IN DISTILLERY

In the height of the storm this afternoon a fire was discovered in the second floor of the six-story whiskey distillery of P. W. Eng & Sons, at No. 268 West Broadway. It was probably started by lightning. The fire was a hard one to fight, necessitating the sending in of three alarms. Volumes of water poured in only seemed to make the blaze hotter. Trains on the Sixth avenue line were held up below Canal street.

Just south of the distillery stands the eleven-story Wool Exchange Building on the corner of Beach street. The ground floor is occupied by the Varick Bank of New York.

The fire authorities feared for this building from the start and a section of the force was put on watch to see that the flames did not communicate with it. Minor explosions shook the neighborhood from time to time, and the firemen who entered the building took their lives in their hands.

There were about forty girls at work in the distillery building when the fire started. All escaped by way of the elevators.

TWO STEAM YACHTS DAMAGED BY STORM. During the storm this afternoon the steam yachts Guilda and Na, which were inside Sandy Hook, dragged their anchors and fouled. Both were somewhat damaged. Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht, the Corsair, was not seriously hurt.

PAID UP IN NATIONAL LEAGUE. The payment of \$100,000 by Philadelphia, O. Called.

Bad News a length and a half for the mile. Africander was added to the Champlain Handicap just before the first race.

One mile. Starters, white, jocks. St. Hif. Pin. Betting. Grey Friar, 105, Burns, 3 1/2 to 1. Joe Cobb, 106, Redfern, 3 1/2 to 1. Onatas, 106, Creamer, 4 to 1. Scoffer, 106, 2, Martin, 3 1/2 to 1. Start fair. Won easily. Time—2:43 1/2.

Grey Friar made all the running and won easily by three lengths from Joe Cobb, who was second all the way, beating Scoffer the same distance for the place.

Six furlongs. Starters, white, jocks. St. Hif. Pin. Betting. Moharib, 122, Fuller, 3 1/2 to 1. Africander, 116, Fuller, 3 1/2 to 1. Hobbs, who was second all the way, beating Girdle, 88, Redfern, 2 1/2 to 1. Start fair. Won easily. Time—1:56 1/2.

Long Shot went to the front, opened up a gap of two lengths and held it to the stretch, with Race King and Moharib, coming strong, got up in time to win by three-quarters of a length from Long Shot, who beat Race King two and one-half lengths.

Fourth race. Mile and an eighth. Starters, white, jocks. St. Hif. Pin. Betting. Africander, 116, Fuller, 3 1/2 to 1. Africander, 116, Fuller, 3 1/2 to 1. Hobbs, who was second all the way, beating Girdle, 88, Redfern, 2 1/2 to 1. Start fair. Won easily. Time—1:56 1/2.

Three and Seven Time Want Ads. Fill Boarding Houses and Rooms.

## MORGAN'S YACHT RAMS MONMOUTH

Prow of the Corsair Crashes Into the Sandy Hook Flyer in Returning from Race, but No One Is Hurt.

In returning from the yacht race and when about half way back to New York this afternoon the steamer Monmouth, loaded with members of the New York Yacht Club, and J. P. Morgan's yacht the Corsair, were in collision, and a terrible disaster was narrowly averted.

The Corsair was on the starboard side of the Monmouth and the two were steaming in parallel lines. The Corsair suddenly deflected a little to port, expecting, presumably, that the Monmouth would do the same. But the Monmouth was unable to do so, owing to the fact that the Josephine, also loaded with people, was on her port side.

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Defender Takes the Second Race of the Series by Such a Narrow Margin that There is Very Little Cause for Elation Among the Admirers of the American Yacht.

BAD START LOST THE RACE FOR SIR THOMAS LIPTON.

Barr Tried to Improve His Lead After Crossing the Line, but Shamrock III, Hung on Like Death—A Trifle Would Cost American Boat the Glory of Victory.

THE START (OFFICIAL). RELIANCE..... 11.00.36 SHAMROCK..... 11.02.00

FIRST TURN. RELIANCE..... 12.21.00 SHAMROCK..... 12.23.30

SECOND TURN. RELIANCE..... 1.17.00 SHAMROCK..... 1.21.00

THE FINISH. RELIANCE..... 2.15.30 SHAMROCK..... 2.20.10

ELAPSED TIME. RELIANCE..... 3.14.54 SHAMROCK..... 3.18.10

RELIANCE WON BY 1 MIN. AND 19 SEC.

HIGHLANDS OF NAVESINK, Aug. 25.—The official time of to-day's race reveals that Reliance won by only 1 minute and 19 seconds, a showing more favorable to the Lipton yacht than to the defender. There was no little advantage on the side of the American boat that the hopes of Sir Thomas Lipton have been raised to the highest pitch.

His indomitable courage has been braced by the performance of his pet. Shamrock made a noble showing—better than she has made thus far in the two previous races or in trials on this side of the water. The race was a ding-dong affair from start to finish, with Shamrock making a spurt now and then that cheered Sir Thomas mightily.

Just before reaching the first mark there was a shift of wind that helped the challenger, but she could not hold the advantage it gave her. To the credit of Shamrock be it said that in the thirty miles from start to finish Reliance was able to gain only 1 minute and 52 seconds—5 seconds less than the time allowance.

NO HOPE FOR SHAMROCK. The third race, to be sailed on Thursday, will be over a course fifteen miles to windward and return. The superiority of Reliance on such a journey as this was thoroughly tested on last Saturday, and that she will win, barring accident, is about a foregone conclusion.

The result of the race to-day seems to insure that Sir Thomas will be compelled to return to England for the third time without having won a race for the cup.

It was a great race all the way. Capt. Barr outsped Capt. Wringe at the start and got over the line more than a minute ahead of him. This lead enabled him to get about a quarter of a mile to windward, and his position was of immense advantage.

RELIANCE LED AROUND FIRST MARK. The first leg was down the coast due south. Just before the yachts reached the first mark a haze drifted in and shut out the view from land. Reliance led around the mark, set her spinnaker and squared away for the reach to the second mark, closely followed by Shamrock.

Although Capt. Barr had sailed his best beating against the wind he had not been able to increase his original lead on the challenger to any great extent. He did a little better on the second leg, and on rounding the second mark his superior sail spread enabled him to make up a little more distance. But when started for the finish line Shamrock was hanging on like grim death, and it appeared to be impossible to shake her off sufficiently to allow of a winning margin.

But the apparently impossible was accomplished. Reliance, carrying

## GIANTS' GAME IS CALLED OFF

Darkness and Rain Prevent the Last of the Series with the Chicago Cubs—Ames Shows Up.

(Special to The Evening World.)

POLO GROUNDS, Aug. 25.—The Giants' last game with the Chicago Cubs was called off this afternoon after a half inning had been played. At that time it was so dark that the players could not see the ball and a storm seemed to be approaching.

Ames, the new pitcher signed by McGraw, reported at the grounds to-day. He had been expected for several days and the team was beginning to worry at his non-appearance. He will be given a chance to work some time this week while the Giants are away from home.

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## FOUR-YEAR-OLD SHOT BROTHER

Boy Found a Revolver and Practised Shooting at Cups, Which He Threw Into the Air and Shattered.

Fred Kruse, a four-year-old Hoboken boy, living at No. 133 First street, to-day shot, fatally, it is feared, his little brother, Peter, one and one-half years old.

The mother was sick in bed and the father had gone to a drug store to have a prescription filled when Fred found a revolver, which his father had placed in a bureau drawer two weeks ago, when burglars were operating in the neighborhood.

Fred said he was shooting at cups which he threw into the air, and the shattered china found on the kitchen floor bears out his story.

Mother Fainted in Bed. The mother, unable to leave her bed, became so frightened at the sounds of shooting that she lost consciousness.

The father returned just in time to hear the last shot and to hear little Peter cry out with pain.

Rushing into the kitchen he saw Fred with pistol in hand, and through the smoke discerned the baby lying in a corner with blood flowing from a wound in the leg.

There was a serious wound in the thigh, and Dr. Arlitz, who dressed the injury, said the child would probably die from shock. The little one was removed to St. Mary's Hospital.

The sick mother is almost crazed, and grave fears are entertained for her.

WEATHER FORECAST. Forecast for the thirty-six hours ending at 8 P. M. Wednesday: Showers and cooler tonight; Wednesday fair and cooler; variable winds, becoming fresh, west to northwest.

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